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THEIR LAST ADIEUX.

LOUIE BLODAH TAKES THE GREAT YUKON.

He Writes a Letter to Fred Handy and Describes the Situation—He Lucas' Legs—The Baechtel Boys Will Soon Start North.

LAKE BENNETT, May 28.—We are off. The ice has gone out and the Klondike push is in a whirl of excitement. Boats of every description are being launched by the thousands. Our boats are finished and in full rig and sail. We have named the big one Ukiah in large letters on her bow, and the little one Firecracker—a nickname for my little boy—and you can bet they are both daisies. The big boat will carry six tons and not draw more than twelve inches of water, so you see we will fool some of those hidden rocks in White Horse rapids that are crippling the poor Klondikers.

Arthur Tracey deserves great credit for his good work as a shipbuilder, and we hope he will get his reward in Klondike. If nothing happens we will sail out of these lakes and down the Yukon Monday morning, May 30th, with Uncle Sam's flag on the top mast floating boldly towards the north. I made the flag out of flour sacks, blue overalls and my old red shirt. It is all right, and we are going to start out with bright colors, no matter how they blend.

We got a letter from Philo Handy a few days ago and he is in fine spirits and good health. They made the trip to Big Salmon all right in twelve days. He says that the Big Salmon excitement is a fake, but was not much disappointed as we half thought that all the time. He says the best show for us is on the American side, as he has good reports from there right along. Forty-Mile, Seventy-Mile and American rivers are reported good, and we would rather by big odds be on Uncle Sam's territory. Philo and the other boys will push on to Dawson and wait for us there.

One never saw such excitement as there is here at the present time, and since the lakes are breaking up. Oh, for a picture of this lake to send home. I went up to Bennett Wednesday for the mail. Took the small boat Firecracker and had a rough time fighting ice. Met two large bodies of it and once had to get out on a big field of it and haul the boat across to open water, but we made it finally. Had two strangers with me, but they did not seem to enjoy the trip, and when we got back said they were not stuck on going boatriding with me.

All boats must be numbered and registered at Lake Bennett before they can pass through, giving the size of the boat, how many men in it, their names and where they are from; so whenever a boat is lost they can trace up the parties who were in it. The number of ours is 331. I heard one of the officials say that there would be about 12,000 boats to register on the two lakes—Lindeman and Bennett—and that there will be from two to ten persons in each boat. I tell you this shipyard sets one's head swimming.

We could have started out today but did not want any back ice to overhaul us, so we will wait a few days, for these good old beans are too precious to feed to Queen Victoria's fish at this time. There have been a great many people drowned since the ice has got rotten, and every day we hear of some one being drowned. The day I went to Bennett there were four big boats crushed in the ice and all on board were lost. Several have been drowned while shooting the canyon and White Horse rapids, but that was a mistake about Swiftwater Bill.

I don't know what luck we will have in riding these bubbles, but I feel sure that my long flowing hair and bushy whiskers, which I have carefully raised, will float on the surface of any rapid, if not, I'll ride Lucas out, for he has become all legs lately and can wade deep. The ice first broke loose on the 22nd. As I have lots of packing to do before starting will close, hoping the next time you hear from us that we will have corns on our feet from walking among the nuggets.

May 29.—Learning more news last evening thought I would add it to this letter. The police came up from Lake Tagish last night and report that out of 140 boats that attempted to go through Cariboo crossing and were caught in a heavy drift of ice, 40 of them were crushed and sunk beneath the ice; so far they are unable to tell how many lives were lost, so you see we were wise to hold on for a few days and give the ice a chance to clear out of the lakes and crossings. Everything is now clear to Lake Tagish and that will be out by the time we get there.

Our boats are loaded and we are off by 4 o'clock in the morning. It is daylight at 2 o'clock, and we can read a paper at 10:30 at night. If this strong south wind continues we will make 60 miles tomorrow. Once started we will travel night and day where it is safe water. We have seen the Baechtel boys and Bill Felton. They are camped just above us and are getting along fine. They are not ready to go yet but will be soon.

NOTICE.

The Ukiah will sail on time, leaving Handy's dock Monday morning, May 30, 1898, at 7 o'clock. Parties wishing passage on this lately remodeled steamer, built expressly for the Klondike, must secure their water-proof berths the day before, for once I cut the grey ropes and pull in the gang plank, you can bet we are off. This boat is not responsible for its actions 10 minutes after leaving the wharf. No round-trip tickets sold as you will be lucky if you get through one way.

Mendocino Steamship company,
L. A. BLODAH, at the wheel.

Mail Contract Let.

The new mail route to Boonville has been let. Contractor J. B. Hughes was in town Monday and a contract was entered into with Weeks & Jones, liverymen, to carry the mail. The schedule calls for the mail to leave here at 6 a. m. and Boonville, 5 a. m., daily. This is very unsatisfactory, says the Cloverdale Reveille and a petition is now before the postoffice department asking the same schedule be maintained as now governs the Yorkville route; that is leave here at 12 o'clock. There is no doubt but that the request will be granted as otherwise the mail would be a day old before reaching the settlers along the road and naturally in this age of rapid mail service, they oppose any tendency to return to the early days.

Some of the Indians Return.

Of the thirteen young Indians who went to Carson City some weeks ago to be educated at the government school three couples have returned to their homes in this county. It was discovered, after they had arrived at the school, that they were married, and as the school does not admit married people the ambitious young aborigines were forced to return. Their home-coming was the source of great joy to their relatives and friends, and Pinoleville is nightly entertained by a relation of the wonderful sights seen by the young Indians on their first trip out into the world.

Lambert Discharged.

Greenville Lambert, who was tried last week on a charge of rape is now a free man. The jury disagreed after having been out all night, and thereupon the prisoner was discharged, it having been decided by the prosecution that a conviction was improbable. It will be remembered that Lambert was convicted on the same charge about a year ago and sentenced to life imprisonment. The case was appealed to the supreme court by Attorneys Johnston & Thatcher, and they succeeded in securing a new trial with the result above stated. The contest on both sides was a very stubborn one.

A Santa Rosa Bride.

Mrs. Nellie Brittain of Santa Rosa was married in Reno, Nevada, on Thursday last to Thomas J. Davis, a prosperous merchant of Ukiah. The couple returned to that city Saturday evening to spend a few days with Mrs. Herbert Wright, sister of the bride, after which they will return to Ukiah, where they will make their home, says the Santa Rosa Republican. Mr. Davis is a recent arrival in this city and is the proprietor of the Royal saloon on State street.

Frazier Acquitted.

Some time ago L. B. Frazier of Sanhedrim was arrested by the United States marshal for this district on a charge of having trespassed on government land. Mr. Frazier was accused of having cut a large amount of timber for his own use. The case was originally tried in the district court, and Monday a decision was handed down acquitting Mr. Frazier of the charge.

A Painful Accident.

Clarence Lynch of this city was very painfully injured Tuesday last while engaged in hauling hay on Edwards brothers' ranch near here. He was unloading hay into a barn with the aid of a derrick fork, and in some manner both of his hands were caught in the mechanism of the implement. His hands were frightfully lacerated, his finger nails being torn off.

POLITICAL POINTERS.

REDWOOD BILL DISCUSSES THE LOCAL SITUATION.

He Thinks That Senator Seawell Will Be the Democratic Nominee for Attorney-General—Gus Poage is Slated for the District Attorneyship.

"Say, boss," said Redwood Bill as he drifted in from Calpella Tuesday last, "I've got onto the schemes that the Demops are fixing up for the fall campaign. It's been given out, you know, that Senator Suell had got out of the fight for gov, as he had an idea that Jim Maguire was a little too big for him to run up against. But that's all moonshine. Henry is in it with both feet, and he's as slick a politician as you'll ever find up in the northern redwood belt.

"Henry don't think he has much chance for the job though, so he's goin' to put another anchor out to windward, as Baldy Morse would say. He's goin' to make a stiff fight for the nomination for gov, and if his lead on that graft peters he's goin' to try for attorney-general. He thinks he can land that pie all right. If he gets elected he's goin' to put Jim Pemberton in to do the work as deputy. Jim's all right; he's a worker, and he can do the law business up all right.

"Suell don't hardly know what to do with Ruddock, however. Ruddock cuts quite a figure in state politics, for all the guys what run the machine are friendly to him, so the senator has promised to see that John is taken care of. So when the senator pulls out of the fight for gov he's goin' to see that J. C. gets a square deal with the fellow what knocks down the persim.

"Quincy White wants to give it out now that he's runnin' for district attorney, but he's just foolin'. Gus Poage is the lad that's goin to get the chance for that job. You see Quincy wants to be judge four years from now, and he knows that if he was to get in for district attorney and get thumped he wouldn't stand a ghost of a show. So he's pullin' things for Gus. Besides Suelt & Pemberton have promised to turn over their graft on the people to J. Q., and he'll try to scratch along till Mannon's term expires.

"But, say, wouldn't that fellow Bunion cork you? He thinks he's the Lord's annointed for assemblyman. But the people are onto him with both feet. Why he's the biggest jay that ever went to Sacramento. At the last session Senator Suell had to keep a private wire connected with Bunion in order to prevent his joblots from being worked by chuck-pullers from Siskiyou. All a fellow had to do, after Bunion made his speech about Mendocino county beans, was to tell him that the fellow who taught him his speech was a lulu, and Bunion would go down to the well and blow himself for a 5-cent steam.

"Then there's them Gibsons; why they've been runnin for office ever since I come to the county. If it wasn't one, it was the other; and there hasn't been a payroll for the past thirty years that hasn't got one of their fists on it. They've all got pretty signatures, and they're all fine fellers, but, Lord, how they ake for a chance to serve the dear people—at a good salary.

"But say, did you get onto the way the Demos made marks of the Pops? They didn't do nothin' to them, did they? I was at the conflab when the push threw dice to see what they'd give the greenbackers, and I knew they was goin to throw the Pops up against something hard. The Dems knew they had no show to beat either Hale, or W. K. or Joe Ray, so they run the Pops up agin 'em in order to make 'em think they was givin' 'em something; and you bet they was—the gaff.

"Fred Thomas has been akin to run for office for some time, and now he's got a chance; but, Lord, how he'll get walloped; and Ed Wright! Why when he gets through the campaign he'll think he's been runnin up agin Jim Heap's sawmill. John Lowe would have liked to run for sheriff, but Henry has got the cinch on that. But Henry don't feel very well, all the same. He knows there's too many Smiths and Gibsons out for offices. Henry's been thinkin' that he ought to have thrown up his job as town trustee, but he was a holdin' on in order to give out jobs on street work in Ukiah. You see that little racket has been worked to the queen's taste in former campaigns, and when a Repub got a job to scatter gravel on the street he had to be pretty close up to Henry's collar.

"But say, did you ever see such a raw crack as that was of bouncin' Dillingham? You see Henry and Gus Poage got together and agreed to let Dil go, because Nuck was after 'em and they thought they'd lose Redwood valley if they didn's put the professor into a good job in town. Now the professor's a good friend of mine, but say, he'll be out of his element in a town as big as Ukiah. Well, over the river."

PERSONALS.

S. H. Rice is spending a few days in this city.

Judge Mannon is holding court in Santa Rosa.

James Joyce of Caspar is visiting friends here this week.

John R. Burger of Anderson valley was in town Monday.

D. Dixon of Point Arena was in town on jury duty last week.

Miss Daisy Seavey of Mendocino is visiting Mrs. J. Hill of this city.

Under-Sheriff T. J. Weldon has been in San Francisco during the week.

Henry Boyle and family are now rusticating at their summer home at Leonard lake.

It is reported that there are several Spaniards in Eden valley who may eventually get into trouble.

N. R. Hansen of Tiburon, brother-in-law of H. B. Smith of this city, is spending the week at Vichy springs.

Arthur Upp, formerly of Willits but now employed by a drug firm in Santa Rosa, is visiting friends in this county.

Miss Agnes Dowling, who has been teaching school in Colusa county, returned to her home in Ukiah the early part of the week.

Miss Carrie Garsey last week was recommended by the board of education for an educational diploma of the gramma grade.

Miss Ivy Cleveland, who was recently graduated from a business college in Santa Rosa, has returned to her home in this city.

George Grubb, a pioneer resident of Long valley, was in town yesterday. Mr Grubb reports the outlook in that section of the country to be excellent.

Allen B. Lemmon jr. son of Editor Lemmon of the Santa Rosa Republican and James Craig of San Francisco will spend their vacation in this county.

Wayne Hart has been appointed usher at the local state hospital. Wayne is a bright young man and will be a valuable acquisition to the personnel of that institution.

Thirteen carloads of sheep were shipped below the early part of the week by Messers. Johnson and Harrington. They were a Mendocino product, and were as fat as butter.

A. W. Foster, president of the San Francisco & North Pacific Railroad company on Monday purchased the entire issue of bonds for the construction of the new high school building in San Rafael. The amount is $15,000.

Dr. Brown was over from his home in Gualala Monday. He says that great patriotism has been displayed by the young men of that place. Ten left for San Francisco last week to offer their services to Uncle Sam.

Mrs. L. Garsey and E. S. Ames and families are enjoying a visit from their brother and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Ames of Fremont, Ohio. Dr. Ames was a California pioneer, but is now a practicing physician in Fremont.

William Kettner, an oldtime newspaper man, but now the general agent for the Germania Life Insurance company, is in town on a business visit. The company Mr. Kettner represents is one of the best that does business in California.

A telephone line has been constructed between this city and Orrs springs. It will be a great convenience for those who wish to spend their vacations at this famous resort. Orrs springs is certainly one of the greatest health resorts on the coast.

Richard Tutt, formerly of this city but now of Oakland, and Miss Lottie V. Heger of this place, were married at the residence of the bride's parents at high noon Sunday last by Rev. O. S. Barnum. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present. The young couple left for their home in Oakland at 2 o'clock. Mr. Tutt is one of Oakland's bright young business men, and his bride was a social favorite in this city. The young couple have the best wishes of THE PRESS.

WE ARE THE PEOPLE

AND OUR RECENT LOCAL ADVENTURES

Are Thus Related by Press Reporters. Social Happenings of the Week Just Passed—A Brief Summary of the Doings of the Populace.

The Misses Irish were over from Philo the early part of the week.

J. V. Ray and son of Potter valley were guests at the Palace Monday.

There is more hay in Mendocino county than ever before in its history.

A. R. Johnson and wife of Orrs spent the early part of the week in this city.

Marvin Owens of Siskiyou county, cousin of R. L. Cleveland, was in town Wednesday.

Eugene Tutt and wife are spending a week with friends and relatives in this city.

Joshua Grindle and wife of Mendocino were over on a visit the early part of the week.

Mr. C. C. Hammond of Albion was a guest at the Grand the early part of the week.

J. L. Sanford and George H. Rhodes went over to the coast the early part of the week.

S. P. Curtis, one of the proprietors of The News, was down the latter part of the week.

Mrs. L. E. Rich, wife of Judson Rich of this valley, died at her home near Ukiah Sunday last.

John Martin, formerly a resident of Holand but now of San Francisco, was in town Monday.

Frank Ench, owner of Highland park in the suburbs of this city, is in town on a business visit.

The postoffice at Albion will be made a money order office after the 5th of the coming month.

Mrs. H. T. Barnard of Michigan is out west on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Jackson of Comptche.

Deputy Sheriff Boswell of Santa Rosa brought a female patient up to the local asylum Tuesday evening.

Earthquakes are still agitating this section of the country. A shock was felt in Santa Rosa Monday morning.

Mrs. L. Redemeyer of Manchester has nearly recovered from the effects of injuries received some months ago.

Henry Howe of Potter valley has enlisted in the national guards at Santa Rosa and is anxiously awaiting a call to Manila.

Josiah Eagle of Caspar was fined $10 last week by Justice Smith for assaulting Abbe Joyce. The fine is said to have made Mr. Eagle sore.

Mrs Harry Potter, who has been visiting friends and relatives in this city for some weeks past, returned to her home in San Francisco Wednesday.

John Chambers, a wellknown blacksmith of Mendocino, was in town the early part of the week. His family is spending some weeks with relatives in San Jose.

The Indians of this valley will celebrate the Fourth of July with a grand picnic and barbecue. There will be aboriginal dances and various kinds of prehistoric sports.

Travel to various pleasure resorts in this and Lake counties is increasing daily, and the present season promises to be a very prosperous one for the owners of health resorts.

Suit has been commenced by the Cottoneva Lumber company against J. S. Kimball to recover $3570 88. That sum is alleged to be due for the rental of timber lands and the purchase of tanbark.

The citizens of northern Mendocino will celebrate the Fourth on Rattlesnake creek, between Laytonville and Cummings. Preparations are being made for a grand time—a barbecue in the afternoon and a dance at night. People from Long valley, Covelo, Branscomb, Blue Rock and Cummings will be present. The oration will be delivered by a gentleman from this city.

The advertised list as published in The Journal makes it evident that a large amount of real estate and personal property tax in southwest Trinity is delinquent, says the Humboldt Times. A considerable portion of that located in Hettenshaw township is assessed to unknown owners, and the Bank of Ukiah is held responsible for payment of taxes on a large acreage in the same township.

NEWS OF THE WORLD.

HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST FEW DAYS FROM ALL QUARTERS.

Anna Gould's Husband Victorious in a Duel—Fatal Cloudburst in Kansas—Fire at Park City, Utah—Von Arnold Arrested in London.

Count Castellane, husband of Anna Gould, fought a duel with an editor near Paris last week. The count wounded his opponent three times, once quite seriously.

Charles Joseph von Arnold, who was prominently before the San Francisco public some months ago through his marriage to Miss Jennie Young under the guise of a German count, and later by deserting the woman in England, has just been arrested in London for swindling a woman of considerable money. It has developed that he has four wives.

A cloudburst in the vicinity of Chelsea Park, Kas., a pleasure resort, is believed to have caused the death of at least four persons and possibly more.

Fire at Albriquerque, N. M., destroyed the grand Opera house and several other buildings, causing a loss of over $200,000.

Fire entirely destroyed the business district of Park City, Utah, the great silver mining camp. In all an actual loss of nearly $750,000 was sustainod, while 300 people were rendered homeless.

Near Wetumpka, Ala., the house of William Gurden was burned, and he perished with his wife and W. A. Curley. Gurden had the reputation of keeping a hoard of gold, and the three persons were murdered by robbers and the house set fire. The following day the three men who committed the crime were captured and lynched.

A proclamation was issued by the governor of New Mexico which annuls that of the former governor prohibiting California cattle from coming into the territory. It is now provided that such cattle be allowed to enter or pass through on permit from the United States Bureau of Animal industry, stipulating that all stock must be perfectly healthy and free from Texas fever. Provision is also made that the cattle shall be subject to all regulations of the Territorial Cattle Sanitary board.

The sultan has approved the appointment of Oscar S. Straus as United States minister to Turkey.

The Congress of Labor commissioners adjourned sine die at Detroit, to meet at Augusta, Me., next year.

Caleb Gainet (colored) was taken from jail at Glasgow, Ky., and hanged. Gaines had assaulted a four-year-old girl.

FRANK BELEW EXECUTED.

Goes to the Gallows and Dies With Utmost Indifference.

The closing chapter of the double poisoning at Dixon was enacted at Folsom Wednesday, when Frank Belew paid the forfeit of his life for his most unnatural crime. He acted out the death scene as he is stated to have acted out the humdrum days of his existence and seemed to be no more concerned during the march to the scaffold than if he had been going about the streets. An hour before he was led to the gallows he was visited in his cell by men who had been his friends and companions, and when one of these asked him if he had anything to say, and if he thought he could go through the ordeal without breaking down, he laughed in the most apparent good humor.

"Why should I break down?" he queried. "I killed Louis and Susie and am perfectly ready to pay the forfeit. I have nothing to say except that I am guilty. I have signed a full confession in which I have named my brother-in-law, J. W. Bird, as an accessory and that is true."

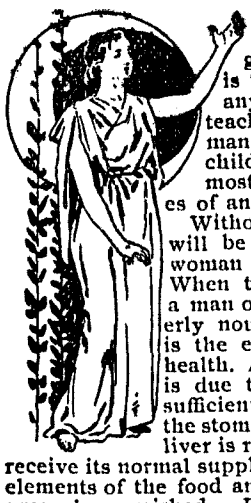
It is thought that $5,000,000 will be withdrawn from San Francisco savings banks for investment in United States war bonds.

It is estimated that 80,000 sheep will be sheared in Kittitas valley, Wash., this year. The clip will average ten pounds to the animal.

The Los Angeles, Cal., City Water company, asks that city $3,000,000 for its water plant, including Crystal Springs; without Crystal Springs, $2,000,000.

Of the Southern California line General Manager Levin has written that the business situation all through southern California has greatly improved during the last 60 days.

In Washington it is regarded as probable that Colonel William Jennings Bryan and the Nebraska regiment under his command will be assigned to the army corps commanded by Major-General Fitzhugh Lee.



There is too little preaching of the gospel of health. It is the last thing that anyone thinks of teaching, either to a man-child or woman-child. It is one of the most important branches of an education.

Without health, a man will be a business, and a woman a social failure. When the body of either a man or a woman is properly nourished, the result is the enjoyment of good health. Almost all ill-health is due to improper or insufficient nourishment. If the stomach is right and the liver is right, the blood will receive its normal supply of the life-giving elements of the food and the body will be properly nourished. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery acts directly upon the stomach and liver. It purifies and enriches the blood. It is the great blood-maker, flesh-builder, nerve tonic and restorative. It promotes the natural activity of the entire nutritive organism. It puts an end to the slow starvation that is at the base of many diseases. It does not make flabby fat like cod liver oil, but firm, muscular tissues. It does not make corpulent people more corpulent but builds up the system to the normal standard.

"I was run down with nervous prostration and female weakness and kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Maranda Ramsey, of Smartt, Warren Co., Tenn. "My bowels were constipated. My whole system was wrecked. My friends thought I would die. I had read of Dr. Pierce's medicines and sent for the 'Golden Medical Dicovery,' 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Pleasant Pellets.' In one week's time I began to sit up. In two weeks I could sit up all day, after being so bad that I had to be helped in and out of bed. I have taken four bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and two of 'Favorite Prescription' and am in better health than I have been for years."

Constipation is the father of all manner of maladies. If it did not exist, or was in all cases promptly relieved, the majority of medical books could be safely destroyed. It is the easiest sickness to neglect and the simplest to cure. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation every time. They cure it promptly, completely and permanently. They never gripe. They don't get you out 'o nights. One "Pellet" is a gentle laxative, and two a mild cathartic. Druggists keep nothing else "just as good."

Burglar George White, an ex-convict was sentenced at Salinas to 15 years in Folsom, for entering a residence and stealing 90 cents.

An attempt was recently made by a Spanish volunteer at Havana to assassinate Captain-General Blanco. The soldier shot the captain, the bullet striking him in the thigh, causing a bad wound. The volunteer's brother was recently arrested for a military offense and was ordered shot by Blanco. The volunteer shot Blanco in revenge. Blanco's order to shoot the soldier caused bitter feeling against among the volunteers, who are beyond control of their officers, and parade the streets and shout for the return of Weyler.

The citizens of Berlin have a summary method of stopping the dangerous practice of carrying sticks and umbrellas horizontally. As soon as a man tucks his umbrella under his arm he will promptly feel a quick blow on it from behind. There is no use in his getting angry with the person who strikes the blow, because public opinion sanctions his conduct.

A DEVOTED PIGEON.

She Broke Through a Wall to Succor Her Nestling.

In the animal kingdom there are many strong examples of mother love, and the birds are particularly noted for displaying it. A remarkable instance of this maternal instinct was recently noticed near Elwood, Ind. A mother pigeon whose young one had mysteriously disappeared searched unceasingly for weeks for the little one, and one day last December she was seen flying violently against the side of a frame building in the city.

Each time she came in contact with the house she chipped off a small bit of wood with her bill. For nearly two days the old bird kept this practice up, often during that time falling exhausted from the repeated shocks and fatigue. In the afternoon of the second day she had pecked a hole in the wall, the wood of which was old and soft from the weather. This hole was large enough to admit a man's head, and through this the mother bird went and came.

Every time she entered she carried grain or seeds or grass. Some curious people investigated the hole while she was absent, and there they found the little lost pigeon, just below the hole, wedged in between the weatherboards. For two days more the bird continued to bring the little one food, and would stay fluttering near the hole, chirruping and trying to cheer the little prisoner up. Many times it entered and seemed to be trying to extricate its young one, but it could not succeed in doing so, try as it would. The prisoner had flown into the building, which was empty, and managed to get between the weatherboarding, near the top of the inside. Falling a considerable distance, it lodged in the narrow space, which did not permit it to use its wings in rising again. Its plaints had reached the mother, and she, not being able to reach it from the inside, had cut through from the out. An admiring man thrust his hand through the hole and brought out the fluttering young thing, to the great delight of the anxious mamma bird.—Chicago Chronicle.

GREAT BARGAIN SALE

STILL GOING ON

AT C. HOFMAN'S CHEAP CASH STORE

WE WILL CUT AND WE WILL SLASH The good things that we have been offering to the public at such marvelous low prices, having proven such a grand success, we will continue for two weeks longer to give bargains that cannot fail to be appreciated. We offer the following:

Bargains In Gents' Furnishing Goods

10 doz. Mens' Fine Burwick Underwear worth	50c.	$ .25
10 doz. Mens' Fine Natural Wool " "	75c.	.40
10 doz. Mens' Heavy Camel's Hair " "	50c.	.25
6 doz. Mens' Heavy Cotton Overshirts "	50c.	.25
50 doz. Mens' Heavy Socks, per pair - - -		.03
50 doz. Mens' Heavy Ribbed Socks worth 8c. -		.05

Bargains In Mens and Boys' Clothing

5 doz. Mens' All-wool Cassimere Pants, worth $3 for	$2.00
5 doz. Mens' Heavy Satinet Pants, worth $1.50 for	1.00
20 Mens' Suits sold for $6 for - - - -	4.50
20 Mens' Suits sold for $10 for - - - -	7.50
50 Mens' Suits sold for $12 for - - - -	9.00

500 Boys' Suits in various styles from 75 cents up

Special Bargains In Shoes

5 doz pr Boys' Heavy Riveted, worth $1 for - -	.60
Men's Heavy Working Shoe formerly $1.50, now	$1.00
1 lot of Child's Tan Shoes in button, sizes from 10 to 2, sold for $1.75 and $2, go at	1.25
1 lot of Child's Kid, sizes 6½ to 12, sold for $1, now	.65
Same in sizes 12 to 2, sold for $1.25, we offer for	.85
1 lot of ladies' low cut tan and black Shoes sold any place for not less than $1.25, now	75c and 80c
1 lot Ladies' Pebble Goat and Glove Grain in button, any size, sold for $1.50, our price	1.00

Bargains In Dry Goods

Our line of summer dress goods in Organdies, Linen, Crash, Lappet Laces, Linen Lawn, and our beautiful line of White Goods will admit of no competition in price, style and quality.

Best quality check Apron Ginghams, sold elsewhere for 6c, we offer for - - -	4c per yard.
Good Heavy Bed Ticking in various patterns, sold elsewhere for 15c, we offer for -	10c per yard
Good Heavy Amoskeag Shirting sold elsewhere for 10c, we offer for - - - - - -	8c
Shallies in various neat patterns sold for 5c, we will close out the line at - - -	3½c per yard
Good Light Shirting Calico, fast colors, sold for 5c, we offer for - - - - - - -	3c
Our line of Shirting formerly sold for 7c we will sell for - - - - - - -	5c per yard

Bargains For Ladies and Children

1 lot Ladies' Hose sold for 8c, we offer for - -	5c
1 lot Child's Hose sold for 8c, we offer for - -	5c
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THE TOWN TRUSTEES.

The Board Met in Regular Session Monday Evening.

The board of trustees met in regular session Monday evening with Trustees Carothers, Crane and Moore present.

The marshal was instructed to file a complaint against E. M. Hatch for refusing to pay billiard license, and the city attorney was directed to prosecute the same.

The marshal was instructed to notify saloonkeepers, barbers, etc., not to wash spittoons on the sidewalks or streets.

The clerk was instructed to ask the two electric light companies for bids for furnishing the town with from sixty-five to seventy lights, by the year.

Trustee Moore was appointed a committee of one to interview property owners on Perkins street between State street and the railroad as to putting down sidewalks on said street, to report Monday evening next.

On motion it was decided that the city pay for water for two public water troughs; one at William Held's sr. and the other place to be selected by Trustee Crane.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

Ukiah Water & Imp. co., water	$55 00
Evans & Orr, bridge work	1 00
W. H. Southard, street work	4 00
Mendocino Co. Electric co., lights	2 25
F. H. Vaughn, treasurer's com.	28 50
O. Cleveland, sprinkling	55 00
W. DeMerritt, burying sheep	1 00
E. R. Hughes, meals	3 60
J. H. Saunders & Son, rebate	6 00
C. E. Nutter, rebate	3 00
George Eff, rebate on license	15 18
F. M. Weger, rebate on license	17 50
J. M. Davis, rebate	3 00
Dispatch-Democrat, printing	21 50
F. W. Broback, printing	1 25
E. S. Williams, rebate on license	2 50
Frank Deyoe, rebate	3 00
Q. A. Overmyer, rebate and labor	5 00
W. H. Southard and son, rebate	6 00
L. S. Sullivan, recorder's fees	6 00
W. H. Chessall, hose, etc.	13 00

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Record of Land Proceedings During the Past Week.

H. B. Mason to M. Cushing: S 30, t 23, r 17; 55$

N. Wagenseller to R. R. Ohm: Lot in Ukiah; $10.

J. J. Miller et al to E. Empfield: 38 acres adjacent to Ukiah; $1250.

A. Snuffin to G. E. Jamison: Lot in Ukiah; $300.

W. M. Wilson et ux to E. Holbrook: Lot in Centerville; $600.

R. McGarvey to H. Barker et al: Lot near Hopland; $5.

M. Mauritzen to J. Borgeson: S 6, t 23, r 17; $10.

Union Lumber company to H. A. Weller: 13 acres adjacent to Fort Bragg; $862.50.

R. O. Gates to J. Hays: Lot in Fort Bragg; $192.

B. F. Gates to J. Hays: Lot in Fort Bragg; $100.

H. Bobb to James Hays: Lot in Fort Bragg; $100.

F. W. McEwen et al to E. A. McEwen: L 4, s 18, t 23, r 15; $10.

J. J. McEwen to E. A. McEwen: L 5, s 22, t 22, r 17; $10.

F. W. McEwen to A. S. Jardine: S 19, t 19, r 15; $10.

N. Carlton to V. N. Dutton: S 29, t 20, r 15; $462.

B. F. Day et al to J. W. Mosier: S 12, t 18, r 14; $336.

F. E. Armstrong et al to F. C. Albertson: Lot in Ukiah; $300.

P. J. Jerald, deceased, by sheriff, to Bank of Ukiah: Eden valley ranch; $49,000.

George Mast et al, by sheriff, to J. A. Cooper: S 20, t 8, r 13; $4871.03.

L. Pullen to W. S. Pullen: S 17, t 16, r 17; $10.

C. Stewart to J. G. McMath: Lot in Fort Bragg; $125.

S. Hornbrook et ux, by sheriff, to G. Hagans: S 7, t 2, r 12; $4682.45.

E. Standley et ux to F. Curtis: Lot in Ukiah; $10.

Superior Court.

Estate of Wilson Lierly, deceased: Final account allowed and decree of distribution ordered.

Estate and guardianship of Nolan Burger, a minor: L. W. Babcock appointed guardian with bonds fixed at $1000.

Estate of A. L. Brown, deceased: Decree of final discharge of guardian.

Harry Helman was admitted to citizenship.

Estate of David Penwell, deceased: Benjamin Penwell appointed administrator; bonds, $500.

Estate of W. Dellamortes, deceased: Order of final discharge of administrator.

The Gibson Lawn Party.

There was a very pleasant party at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gibson Saturday evening last. It was given by a number of normal school girls and was attended by about twenty-five jolly young folks. The hours were spent in the traditional manner—playing games, and singing and reciting. An elegant little supper was served to the guests, and all went merry as a marriage bell.

Abe Marks' new style hats are beauties.

Absent Mr. Dillingham's Removal.

EDITOR PRESS: In the last issue of your paper there appeared an article on your editorial page which stated in substance that School Trustees Smith and Poage had held a meeting and removed Prof. Dillingham as principal and elected his successor without notifying the other trustee. Being one of the trustees referred to, and the statements in said article not being correct, I ask space to give this matter as I understand it. In the first place we did not remove Mr. Dillingham. He was elected to teach the term just ended and that being completed his position is vacant, for, under our law, trustees are only empowered to elect teachers for the current year which ends July 1st. No meeting of the board of trustees of Ukiah district has been held to select a teacher to succeed Mr. Dillingham and none will be held till after the first day of July next, which is as soon as a meeting can be legally held to elect teachers for the ensuing year. Applications for the position formerly held by Mr. Dillingham have been made by several gentlemen of this and other counties but no one has yet been selected by the board. However, such selection will no doubt be made in due time. Had there been a meeting of the board of trustees called Mr. Barker, the third trustee, referred to in your article as the minority, would certainly have been notified of the same and would no doubt have attended it. W. G. POAGE.

Fishing on Blue Lakes.

The efforts made by the San Francisco and North Pacific Railway company in the last few years to stock Blue lakes and Laurel Dell lake with lake trout to all appearances seem to have been crowned with success. Many fine fish are now being taken there. Heretofore those who have fished the lakes have fished on the surface where they would only occasionally take a good sized fish. Some few weeks since Victor LaMotte came up from San Francisco to try the result of deep trolling with spoon and spinner. Although the conditions were not good, it being rainy and windy, he succeeded in taking some fine fish, proving conclusively that the fish are there, and by deep trolling will afford fine sport. Many two to four-pound fish have since been caught. The lakes, receiving their water supply from subterranean sources, are, as a matter of course, cooler toward the bottom, hence the fish do not frequent the surface, where the water is warmer, but must be sought near the cool gravel beds on the bottom. Appearances indicate that it will not be long till these beautiful pellucid waters will equal the celebrated Webber lake.

Notes From Hopland.

HOPLAND, June 22.—Supervisor Sam Duncan and Will Huntley have erected a flagpole on the line between their property and have purchased a flag. This joint ownership of the stars and stripes is emblematic of the unison that now exists between the Republican and Democratic parties.

"Westward the star of empire takes its way." What a world of new meaning there is in this old quotation. As the invincible Yankee with his deadly aim sails toward the Philippines he never entertains the idea of defeat; such a thing as fear is unknown to his organization. He never surrenders a position once taken, and his onward march is as inexorable as the tread of the ancient Roman soldier. Uncle Sam is a full-grown man now, thanks to the equanimity of our jolly tars when under fire.

Fowler & Thomson are building a new blacksmith shop south of the Baptist church. Another evidence that business is improving and Hopland is expanding.

The summer travel to Duncan springs and to health and pleasure resorts in Lake county, which passes through Hopland, is assuming thrifty proportions. SANEL.

Gondolas.

The board of supervisors of San Francisco had been wrestling for some days with various propositions relative to the improvement of the Golden Gate park. Many plans had been submitted, and either approved or rejected, as the varied whims of the different members suggested. Supervisor F proposed putting half a dozen gondolas on Stow lake, saying that it would add so much to the pleasure of those visiting the park, when a member from one of the outer wards arose, saying: "I have never seen any of thim gondoleys myself, and as yez all know, gentlemen, I'm forninst wastin' the people's money, but if thim gondoleys is a good thing, I say let's have 'em. What like are they anyway, Mr. F? F explained that they looked very fine floating on the water like a duck, and were built with a long neck, shaped like a swan's, in front, and sometimes at both ends. "Quare lookin' things they must be indade," said the Irish member; "but I believe half a dozen would be too many. Suppose we just buy a pair—a male and a female—and it won't be long till we have lots of thim gondoleys." A. V. L.

Simonds Acquitted.

John Simonds, who was tried last week on a charge of having murdered John Johnson at Needle Rock in April last, was acquitted by a jury.

Fire works of all kinds at Keller & McClure's.

THE TEMPERANCE UNION.

Result of the Tenth Annual Session at Willits.

The Women's Christian Temperance union met in Willits last week. The following superintendents of departments were elected: Evangelistic, Mrs. J. E. Lowe, Fort Bragg; press, Mrs. L. A. Morgan, Mendocino; franchise, Mrs. M. E. McCowen, Ukiah; lumbermen, Mrs. Anna Shaver, Fort Bragg; song, Miss Alice Switzer, Mendocino; mother's meetings, Mrs. M. Hooke, Ukiah; Demorest contest, Mrs. A. Watson, Potter; Indian work, Mrs. J. E. Glazier, Ukiah; hygiene and heredity, Mrs. William Heeser, Mendocino; Sabbath observance, Mrs. George Youde, Willits; narcotics, Mrs. A. B. Campbell, Fort Bragg; flower mission, Miss Anna Jefferson, Caspar; ensign and signal, Mrs. George Switzer, Mendocino; scientific temperance instruction, and juvenile work, Miss Fowler of Fort Bragg; literature, Mrs. Emma Dashiel of Potter; prison, Mrs. M. A. Ogle, Ukiah. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. L. R. Miller, Cleone; recording secretary, Mrs. L. A. Morgan, Mendocino; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. B. Campbell, Fort Bragg; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Pemberton, Ukiah; auditor, Mrs. M. E. McCowen, Ukiah; vice-president-at-large, Mrs. William Heeser, Mendocino: first vice-president, Mrs. Seymour, Potter; second vice-president, Mrs. Hooke, Ukiah.

Special Sale Friday and Saturday.

Trimmed goods at a great reduction at the La Grande milliner store, Dowling building.

Diphtheria is said to be a disease of recent years of civilization, whose cause is to be found in defective drainage, damp cellars and dark closets. With the cause plainly outlined, the responsibility of seeing that these entrances to the household fortress are rendered impregnable to the entrance of the enemy rests with the chatelaine.

"Let me kiss your Dewey lips," urged the youth in the parlor. "Young man," roared a voice from above, "the bombardment will be open as soon as I can get down stairs." Then the hapless youth organized himself into a flying squadron and made a fleet disappearance.

What pleasure is there in life with a headache, constipation and biliousness? Thousands experience them who could become perfectly healthy by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. Hoffman's Emporium.

Political Announcements.

A. J. THATCHER HEREBY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for the office of District Attorney of Mendocino County, subject to the decision of the Republican County convention.

W. M. PEERY HEREBY ANNOUNCES HIMself as a candidate for the office of Coroner and Public Administrator of Mendocino county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County convention.

M. B. GIBSON HEREBY ANNOUNCES HIMself as a candidate for the office of County Recorder of Mendocino county, subject to the decision of the Democratic County convention.

M. D. GRAY HEREBY ANNOUNCES HIMself as a candidate for the office of County Assessor, subject to the decision of the Republican County convention.

W. K. DILLINGHAM HEREBY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Republican County convention.

F. L. CAUGHEY HEREBY ANNOUNCES HIMself as a candidate for the office of Auditor of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Republican County convention.

HALE McCOWEN HEREBY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for the office of Clerk of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Republican County convention.

LEONARD BARNARD HEREBY ANNOUNCES himself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of Mendocino county subject to the decision of the Republican County convention.

G. H. SCOTT HEREBY ANNOUNCES HIMSELF as a candidate for the office of Assessor of Mendocino county, subject to the decision of the Republican County convention.

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who are indebted to me upon either notes or bills not to pay the same to any other person except myself, unless such person have an order for the payment of said note or bill dated subsequent to the date of this notice. JOHN CASSEL.

Dated this 31st day of May, A. D. 1898.

Removal.

J. Gounsky has removed his tailoring establishment to the rooms over Keller & McClure's store, where he will be pleased to welcome all his old customers. Pants made to order from $4 up; spring suits from $15 up.

Notice to Debtors.

George Eff wishes to hereby notify the public that he has sold the Palace saloon, and to request that all who are indebted to him to call immediately and settle their accounts. A prompt compliance will save expense. *

We are anxious to do a little good in this world and can think of no pleasanter or better way to do it than by recommending One Minute Cough Cure as a preventive of pneumonia, consumption and other serious lung troubles that follow neglected colds. Hoffman's Emporium.

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SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Grain Etc.

WHEAT—No. 1 shipping, per ctl, $1 32½; choice to fancy, $1 35; White Milling, good to choice, $1 50@1 55.

BARLEY—Fair to good Feed, $1 15@1 17½; No. 1 Feed, $1 20; Brewing, choice, No. 1, $1 35@1 40; Chevalier, $1 50@1 62½.

OATS—Feed, poor to fair, $1 30@1 37½; good to choice, $1 35@1 37½; choice to fancy, $1 40@1 45; Suprise, $1 40@1 45; Milling, $1 40@1 45; Norway, Black for feed, $1 12½@1 20; Gray, $1 15@1 20; Red, $1 35@1 45.

CORN—New crop, small yellow, 1 25½@1 30. Large yellow, 1 02½@1 05; White, 1 02½@1 05 per ctl.

BEANS—Large white, $1 75@1 90; small do, $2 00@2 15; Pea, $1 75@1 90; Butter, large, $1 65@1 75; do small, $1 25@1 50; Lima, $3 00@3 25; Red, $2 30@2 50; Pink, $2 00@2 75; bayo, $3 00@3 10; Black-eyed, $2 50@2 75; Red Kidney $2 00@2 50.

SEEDS—Yellow mustard, per ctl, $2 25@2 50; Trieste, $2 85@3 00; Native, $1 75@2 20; Canary, California, $2; imported, $2 75; Hemp, $3@3 50; Flax, $1 75@2 00; Rape, $2 00@2 50; Timothy, $5.

HAY—Per ton: Wheat $18 00@22 50; Barley, $15 00@17 50; Oat, $17@20 00; Wheat and Oat, $19@21 00; Alfalfa, $12 50@14 00; Clover, $14@15 50; Stock, $13 00@14 50; Compressed, $21 00@23 00.

STRAW—75@1 00 ₱ bale.

HOPS—11@17c ₱ lb.

RYE—Good to choice, $1 07½@1 40 per ctl.

Mill Products.

FLOUR—Family extra, $5 00@5 60 ₱ barrel; bakers' extra, $5 25@5 40; superfine, $4 10@4 50.

BUCKWHEAT—Per ctl, $2 00@2 15.

BRAN—From $21 00@21 15 ₱ ton for home product.

MIDDLINGS—From $23 00@24 50 per ton.

GROUND BARLEY—From $29 50@31 50 ₱ ton

FEED CORNMEAL—From $23 00@24 00 ₱ ton

CRACKED CORN—From $22 00@26 00 ₱ ton

OILCAKE MEAL—At $30 00 ₱ ton from mill.

Various—Cash prices for 100-lb sacks: Cracked Wheat, 3½c ₱ lb; Rye Flour, 3½c; Rye Meal, 3c; Buckwheat Flour, 5c; Oatmeal, 4½@5c; Oat Groats, 5c; Hominy, 4½@4¾c; Rice Flour, 7½c; Farina, 4½c; Pearl Barley, 4½@4¾c; Split Peas, 4¾@5½c; Rolled Oats, 5c; Buckwheat Groats, 5½c; Graham Flour, 5c.

Vegetables.

ONIONS—Silver Skins, 45c@55c ₱ ctl.

POTATOES—Per ctl, Early Rose, 50@75c; River Burbanks, 50@75; Salinas Burbanks, 85@$1 00 Sweet Potato, 25@50c ₱ ctl.

VARIOUS—Beets, sk, 50c@65, Garlic, 1@2½c; Cabbage, ctl, 60@80c; Cauliflower, doz, 25@40c; Turnips, 40@60c; Carrots, 35@50c; Celery, bx, 50@60c; Tomatoes, per box, $1 00@1 50; Green Peppers, lb, 25c; Dry Peppers, lb, 8@10c; String Beans, lb, 20c; Sweet Peas, lb 3½@4c; Egg Plant, 10c; Summer Squash, —; Asparagras, lb 4@8c; Rhubarb, bx 50c@$1 00; Cucumbers, hothouse, dox, 50c@$1; Mushrooms, 5@10c.

Fruits and Nuts.

Apples—bx, 100@$1 50; Green apples, bx 30@$1 00.

Plums—Bx, 25@50c; crate, 25@50c.

Apricots—Bx 35@60c; crate, 50@75c.

Pears, Bx 50c.

Peaches, Bx 25@60c.

Cherries—Bx 25@60c; White, 15@25c; Royal Anne, 40@50c.

Berries—STRAWBERRIES—Per chest, Longworth, $2@5; large varities, $1@3; Raspberries, per crate, $1 50; Gooseberries, per drawer, 20@30c; Blackberries, $3 25 per crate

Lemons—Per box California, $2@2 50.

Oranges, California, pr bx, new crop, Navals $1 25@2 50; Seedling, $1 00@1 50; Grape Fruit, $2@3.

Limes—per bx, reack, $4 50@5 00.

Various—Bananas $1@2 00 ₱ bunch; Pineapples, $1@2 ₱ dozd.

DRIED FRUITS—Peaches, fancy, 6½c; choice, 5c½; standard, 4¾; peeled in boxes, 10½c; Pears, fancy halve 6c; quarters, 5c; choice, 3½c; standard, 2½c Apricots, fancy, 9c; choice 8c; standard, 6½c; prime, 5½c, Other varieties higher. Apples evaporated, 5½c; un drie 2¾. Prunes, four sos, 2½@2¾c. Plums, pitted, 4c; unpitted, 1½. Nectarines, fancy, 5½c choice, 4½c; standard, 4c. Figs, choice white, 3c. Jobbing prices.

NUTS—Almonds softshell, 7@8c ₱ lb; d papershell, 9@10c; lo hard, 2@3c; Walnuts, California softshell 10@10½c; do hard, 7@8c; d Chile, 11@12c; Brail, 8@10c; Filberts, 10@11c Polished Pecans, 8c; Pinenuts, 10c; Easter Peanuts, —@—c; do California, nominal; Cocoanuts, $5@5 50 ₱ 100.

Butter, Cheese and Honey.

BUTTER—Fancy Creamery, ₱ lb, 19c@—; Creamery, second, @18½c, Imitation Creamery, —@17c; Fancy Dairy, 17@18c; choice 15@16c; fair to good 14@—c; pickled, roll or square, —@—c; Creamery, in brine, 22@23c; firkin, 20c; Creamery, in tubs, 20@23c.

CHEESE—California, 9@11c ₱ lb; Young America, 12@13c; New York Cream, 12@14c.

HONEY—New crop: Comb, 9@10c ₱ lb; water white, extra sed, 3½@5c; amber, 4@4½c.

BEESWAX—From 23@25c ₱ lb.

Poultry and Eggs.

POULTRY—Hens, $3 00@4 00 ₱ dozen: Broilers, $3 50@4 50 for small and $5 00@5 50 for large; Roosters, $3 00@3 00 for old and $4 50@6 00 for young; Geese, 1 25@$1 50 a pair; Ducks $3 50@6 00 ₱ dozen; Pigeons, $1 50@1 75 Turkeys, alive, 11@12c ₱ lb: dressed, 13@16c.

EGGS—Per doz, California ranch, selected fancy, 17@18c; choice, @—c; California Store choice, 14@15c; comon, —@—c; Duck Eggs 16c.

GAME—Per doz, Rabbit, 75c@$1; Gray Geese, $1 50@1 75; White Geese, 50; Hare, 75; Rabbits, $1 25@1 25.

Fresh Meats.

Beef, Steers, first quality, 6@6½; Cows and Heifers, 3@5½c.

Veal—Large, 6@6½; small, 6½@7½c.

Mutton—Wethers, 6@7c; Ewes, 6@6½c.

Lamb—Sucking, 7@8c.

Pork—Dressed, 5@6.

Lessen our Wants.

More of the true enjoyment of life lies in this maxim than is generally thought. We may indeed go to extremes and cut to the quick, like that cynic philosopher who threw away his wooden cup on seeing a vagrant boy drink from the hollow of his hand. But the truth is we create many of our own necessities, and with the growth of luxury new wants come in not by ones, nor by tens, but by hundreds.—New York Ledger.

There are parts of the Ganges valley in India where the population averages 1,200 to the square mile.

Since 1870 Victoria, Australia, has voted more than 100,000 for the destruction of rabbits.

TRACING A LOST STUD.

Luck of a Jeweler Who Dropped a Two Carat Diamond In the Street.

Some odd stories of the recovery of lost diamonds are told by an old Union square jeweler. One of them is his own experience.

"One day last June," he says, "I happened to recollect that I was going to a reception. Before leaving the store I wrapped my two karat diamond stud in a piece of tissue paper and slipped it into my vest pocket. After dinner, while dressing in my room, I went to my pocket to get the stud. It was not there. I put my hand in my fob pocket, thinking it was surely there; then in the other vest pocket, then in the inside pocket, and then in my four trousers pockets, but it was in none of them.

"'I left that on my desk,' I thought. 'I will find it there in the morning. I will put on a plain gold stud tonight.'

"The next morning the stud was not to be found at the store. I thought of every step I had taken on the way home, and then called our porter.

"'George,' said I, 'just before I went home last night I slipped a diamond stud, wrapped in tissue paper, into my pocket, and, starting out of the store, went across Broadway, through Union square at Fifteenth street, going to the left of the fountain, and then up the center path to Seventeenth street and Fourth avenue; I went down the right hand side of Seventeenth street to Second avenue and then home. On my walk home I have a distinct recollection of putting my hand into my pocket for my penknife or something else. I must have pulled out the stud and dropped it. Now I want you to follow that path and look carefully every step of the way, and I don't want you to come back until you have found the stud.'

"He started out and in less than half an hour returned with the stud. He had found it, still wrapped in the paper, in the gutter, a few steps this side of Second avenue, and he went home happy that night with a $20 goldpiece in his pocket."—New York Sun.

ANCIENT TIMEPIECES.

Various Methods of Measuring Time Prior to the Invention of Clocks.

We need do no more than allude to the habit after the reformation, and especially in Scotland, of preachers measuring their discourses by the hourglass in the pulpit. These marked an hour exactly. Those first made in Charlemagne's day ran for 12 hours. Alfred the Great hit upon a method of measuring time, which shows that there was no Saxon one, though very probably some of the monasteries (then the only homes of knowledge) were acquainted with water clocks and hourglasses, if not by practical knowledge at any rate by hearsay.

However, the kingdom in general followed Alfred's plan, which, though ingenious, necessarily lacked anything like the accuracy of the other inventions Yet the king's idea was hailed as a wonderful effort of genius, which, for such an era by comparison with the general ignorance, it was. As every schoolboy (in this case literally) knows, Alfred marked time by rushlights. A long existence, by the way, has the rushlight enjoyed, seeing that middle aged people still remember its use in the nursery at night and the reflection of the circular holes in the tall metal shades on the ceiling.

Alfred, says an ancient authority, "that he might properly know how the hours passed, made use of burning tapers which were marked with lines and fixed in lanthorns, an expedient invented by himself." So, by the way, were in 892 the lanterns of scraped horn which still some old fashioned rustics prefer to glass. But tapers, however, were then very expensive. The king might himself use these, but probably the rushlight was used by people in general.—London Standard.

Lincoln's Gift to a Fire Brigade.

The Sons and Daughters of Illinois held a meeting in Boston at which Vice President Henry Haynie told this story of Lincoln:

"The fire hose company of Springfield was very proud of its well equipped fire apparatus, and, desiring to procure some extra supplies, subscription papers were sent around. The small boys, myself among the number, were given a share in the work. I went up to some dusty rooms over a grocery and entered the law office of Lincoln. He asked me numberless questions, and I had to tell him all I knew of this fire brigade and its members. Then he said: 'Well, I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll go home to supper—Mrs. Lincoln is generally good natured after supper—and then I'll tell her I've been thinking of giving $50 to the brigade, and she'll say, "Abe, will you never have any sense? Twenty dollars is quite enough." So tomorrow, my boy, you come around and get your $20.'"—Chicago Times-Herald.

Distinctions.

It is not pretty to say of a woman that she talks too much, but she looks complimented when you tell her that she is a fine conversationalist.

QUIET AT MANILA.

THE INSURGENTS HOLD CONTROL OF THE SURROUNDING COUNTRY.

Dewey Says That There is Little Change—Insurgents Have Plenty of Prisoners—Correct List of the Spanish Vessels Destroyed or Captured.

WASHINGTON.—The Navy Department has received the following from Admiral Dewey:

CAVITE, June 12 (via Hong Kong, June 17). There is little change in the situation since my telegram of June 3. The insurgents continue hostilities and have practically surrounded Manila. They have taken 2500 Spanish prisoners, whom they treat most humanely. They do not intend to take the city at the present time.

Twelve merchant vessels are anchored in the bay with refugees under guard of neutral men-of-war; this with my permission. The health of the squadron continues excellent.

The German commander-in-chief arrived today. Three German, two British, one French and one Japanese men-of-war now in port. Another German man-of-war is expected.

The following is a correct list of the Spanish vessels captured and destroyed: Destroyed—Two protected cruisers, five unprotected cruisers, one transport and one serving vessel, both armed.

The following were captured: The transport Manila and the gunboat Callao.

FROM THE TRANSPORTS.

Our Troops Reach Honolulu and Are Welcomed Royally.

The United States transports City of Peking, City of Sydney and Australia, arrived together at Honolulu on June 1. The voyage from San Francisco was pleasant and the vessels traveled abreast most of the way. Eight mild cases of measles broke out on the Australia, but the victims soon recovered and the disease did not spread. As soon as the three vessels were sighted all Honolulu turned out to welcome the soldiers. The docks were lined with people and as the vessels entered the harbor the spectators yelled themselves hoarse. The troops were allowed the freedom of the city. The citizens furnished free cars and other conveyances, and base ball and other sports were arranged for, and the soldiers taken to all points of interest.

The transports were sighted June 15, within a short distance of Manila.

TRIED TO BLOW UP A SHIP.

A Spanish Spy Said to Have Been Caught at Honolulu.

HONOLULU, June 8—The Hawaiian Star of June 3 publishes the following story regarding an attempt to blow up the City of Peking while the vessel was in port here: "If the report which was in circulation late this afternoon is true, Honolulu came near being the scene of as frightful a disaster as that of the Maine and in much the same way.

The story is nothing more or less than that an attempt to blow up the Peking's magazine was frustrated just in time. An enlisted man, it is said, was caught in the act of arranging a fuse connecting with the magazine, which contains 400 tons of powder. The dastard, it is said, is now under close guard and when the Peking gets out on the high seas he will be hanged at the yardarm. The greatest secrecy concerning the matter is being maintained. The alleged culprit is said to be half Spanish."

CLAIM THEY ARE FIGHTING

Spanish Commander at Manila Tells a Tale of Woe.

A cable dated Manila, via Hongkong, says: Terrific fighting has been going on for six days between the Philippine insurgents and the Spanish troops. The rebels under Aguinaldo have more than held their ground, while the Spaniards lost heavily. The insurgents now hold 3000 prisoners, 2000 of them being Spanish soldiers.

There are 30,000 armed insurgents in the field. Recently the garrison of a church at Old Cavite, where 300 insurgents captured a superior force of Spaniards after an eight days' bombardment. The rebels are competent and courageous fighters. They have captured the entire provinces of Cavite and Bataan and parts of the provinces of Pampaga, Bulucan and Manila. Aguinaldo's troops, in three divisions, have now surrounded Manila. They have the Spaniards hemmed in and could capture the city if they wanted to, but will await the arrival of the American troops before doing so.

MADRID.—The following dispatch from Manila signed by Captain-General Augusti and dated June 12, is published officially:

"The grave situation set forth in my dispatch of June 8 continues. The troops are fighting on the line of blockhouses which stops the enemy's advance. The enemy has been strengthed by desertions of the native troops, which diminish our means of resistance and may compel me to take refuge within the walled city.

"Communication with the provinces is still cut off, and I do not know whether the detachments there will be able to hold out against a lack of resources. I hope to receive assistance from the peninsula before our means of defense are exhausted."

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PROMOTION FOR HOBSON.

The Brave Lieutenant to be Made Lieutenant-Commander.

WASHINGTON—Representative Underwood, in whose district Lieutenant Hobson's home is situated, has introduced a resolution extending the thanks of Congress to Hobson and his crew, for their brave act in sinking the Merrimac in the entrance to the harbor of Santiago de Cuba, authorizing Hobson's transfer to the line and promotion to Lieutenant-Commander. He conferred with the President and Secretary Long before offering it.

Morgan of Alabama offered a resolution in the Senate recently, which was referred to the Naval Affairs Committee, extending the thanks of Congress to Naval Constructor Hobson and the heroic crew of the Merrimac and authorizing the transfer of Constructor Hobson from the Construction Corps to the line.

THEY WANT PEACE.

Spanish Subjects and Newspapers Want a Stop Put to the War.

MADRID.—There is considerable comment here over a long conference which has just taken place between the British embassador to Spain, Sir Henry Drummond-Wolff, and the Spanish minister for war, General Correa. The newspapers of this city publish the text of a manifesto to the inhabitants of Catalonia, of which Barcelona is the capital, in favor of peace between Spain and the United States.

The manifesto is signed by 35 associations and 18 local newspapers. It says the present evils are "due to the existing regime, weich is nothing but a government of disorder and neglect." After recalling the fact that the Spanish monarchs have lost possession after possession, it says:

"The United States government is guilty of unjustifiable aggression, but if the war is prolonged Spain will be completely ruined. A painful amputation is a hundred-fold preferable to a terrible and disastrous war, and and any peace eventually made will be more honorable after the country is ruined, the blood of her valued soldiers shed and starvation has ravaged a majority of the workmen's home."

To Abdicate Her Throne.

MADRID.—It is again stated on good authority that the Queen Regent has decided to abdicate in favor of the late king's sister, the Infanta Isabella. The queen has made known her wishes to the cabinet, adding that she would like to take her children and leave Spain. Premier Sagasta informed her that such an act would be considered a flight, and would not be allowed. The queen said she would postpone her departure for the time being, but insisted that she be allowed to abdicate.

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